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SUBJECT: MEETING WITH RFE AMERICAN OFFICIALS

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REF: (A) STATE 030790; (B) WARSAW 0746

1. WALTER K. SCOTT, EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT, RFE/RL, AND MICKELSON'S DEPUTY FOR THE EUROPEAN OPERATIONS OF RFE/RL, AND RICHARD COOK, ACTING DIRECTOR, RFE WELCOME PROSPECT OF MEETING BETWEEN AMBASSADOR DAVIES AND AMERICAN OFFICIALS OF RFE. THEY SUGGEST FOLLOWING ARRANGEMENTS:

(A) TIME: LUNCH MARCH 8 FOLLOWED BY SUPPLEMENTARY DISCUSSION THAT AFTERNOON IF DESIRED BY AMB. DAVIES;

(B) RFE PARTICIPANTS: RFE FEELS THAT PARTICIPATION OF RFE DIRECTOR DESIGNATE HEMSING, WHO HAS JUST VISITED WARSAW AND WHO WILL ASSUME HIS NEW DUTIES IN MUNICH ONLY MARCH 1, WOULD NOT RPT NOT BE BENEFICIAL. RFE ALSO FEELS THAT THE HEAD OF THE RFE NEWS DEPARTMENT IS NOT RPT NOT CLOSE ENOUGH TO OUTPUT OF POLISH BROADCASTING DEPT. TO MAKE FRUITFUL CONTRIBUTION TO DISCUSSION. RFE SUGGESTS THEREFORE THAT RFE PARTICIPANTS BE RICHARD H. COOK, ACTING DIRECTOR, RFE, AND ZYGMUNT MICHALOWSKI, NEW HEAD OF POLISH BROAD-
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CASTING DEPARTMENT. RFE POINTS OUT THAT LATTER IS NOW A U.S.

CITIZEN. IF AMB. DAVIES WOULD PREFER NOT RPT NOT TO MEET
WITH MICHALOWSKI, COOK ALONE WOULD REPRESENT RFE.

(C) NATURE OF DISCUSSION: UNLESS INFORMED TO CONTRARY,
RFE WILL ASSUME DISCUSSION WOULD BE INFORMAL, I.E. WITHOUT
DETAILED REFERENCES TO PARTICULAR SCRIPTS OF OTHER DOCUMENTS.
IF, HOWEVER, AMB. DAVIES WANTS TO DISCUSS SPECIFIC DOCUMENTS,
RFE WOULD BE PREPARED TO DO SO.

2. GILMORE APPRECIATES AND ACCEPTS INVITATION TO BRIEF AMB.
DAVIES MORNING OF MARCH 8 AND TO PARTICIPATE IN MEETINGS WITH
RFE OFFICIALS.

3. RFE IS HANDLING THIS MATTER VERY DISCREETLY.
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